

AMENDMENTS TO SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0016] with the following amended paragraph:

[0016] The STP 114 controls the communication between the SCP 116 and the SSP 106. The STP 114 is a signaling hub that routes packets of data. The STP routes information about a telephone call from the SSP 106 to the SCP 116 and back from the SCP 116 to the SSP 106. A network, such as a Signaling System 7 (SS7) network carries data and control messages between the SSP 106 and the SCP 116 via the STP 114. In exemplary embodiments of the present invention, the SCP 116 is implemented using a high power fault tolerant computer (e.g., AT&T Star Server FT Model 3300, Lucent Advantage 4P200). The SCP 116 has access to the easy screen SCP service package application (SPA) 118, as well as the server 122 and the subscriber database 124 located on ~~the~~ a storage device ~~424~~. SCP access to the easy screen SCP SPA 118 and the subscriber database is via the network 120.

Please replace paragraph [0019] with the following amended paragraph:

[0019] In exemplary embodiments of the present invention, the server 122 provides access to the subscriber database 124 that is located on ~~a~~ the storage device ~~424~~. The storage device ~~424~~ may be implemented using a variety of devices for storing electronic information such as a file transfer protocol (FTP) server. It is understood that the storage device ~~424~~ may be implemented using memory contained in the server 122 or in the SCP 116 hardware or it may be a separate physical device. The storage device ~~424~~ includes one or more subscriber databases 124. Each subscriber is assigned a subscriber database. The physical implementation of the subscriber database may include subscriber databases for a plurality of subscribers being located in the same physical database. The server 122 may operate as a database server and coordinate access to application data including data in the subscriber database 124 stored on the storage device ~~424~~.